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WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Siegenthaler, Peter **Report No:** WIR-020992

Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 24-Feb-2011

City: Oakland, CA 94607

OSM Arrival Time: 1500 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 300 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

CWI Name: CWI Present: Yes Peng Wen Jun No **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A N/A N/A **Electrode to specification:** Yes No **Weld Procedures Followed:** Yes No N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** No **Delayed / Cancelled:** Yes No N/A

34-0006 **Bridge No: Component:** OBG

Summary of Items Observed:

On this date Caltrans OSM Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector, Dennis Combs, was present during the times noted above for the observations relative to the work being performed.

Bay 14

This QA Inspector observed the following work in progress for Bay 14.

ZPMC was using the Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) process.

ZPMC QC is identified as Zhan Hai Feng.

Welding variables recorded by QC appeared to comply with the approved Welding Procedure Specification (WPS).

Listed below are the locations that were identified by this QA inspector.

Component: Vertical Shear Plate

PCMK: SEG3020BB Weld Number: 081 Welder: 054013

WPS-345-SMAW-2G-FCM-REPAIR-1

CWR 2737

Component: Anchor Plate

PCMK: SEG3019U Weld Number: 003



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Welder: 044779

WPS-345-SMAW-2G-FCM-REPAIR-1

WR 20270

Component: Deck Plate PCMK: DP3161-001 Weld Number: 019 Welder: 050969

WPS-345-SMAW-2G-FCM-REPAIR

WR 20267

This Caltrans QA inspector received ZPMC non-destructive test (NDT) notification number 08386 from ZPMC for Bay 14. This QA inspector performed ultrasonic testing (UT) verification of welds after ZPMC had performed their UT inspection. The segment is identified as OBG. The weld designations reviewed are as follows.

SEG3007AD-017, 019, 021, 023, 025, 027, 040, 042, 044

Welds located at side plate to floor beam CJP could not be completed at weld numbers SEG3007AD-021and 027 due to limited access at FL3 floor beam flanges near side plate to bottom plate connection. Photo below is typical at these locations.

Unless otherwise noted, all work observed on this date appeared to generally comply with applicable contract documents.





Summary of Conversations:

No relevant conversations.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Eric Tsang 150-0042-2372, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

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Inspected By:	Combs,Dennis	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Riley,Ken	QA Reviewer